

DNR *Program*

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Become a *Naturalist at Heart* at the Falls of the Ohio

Do you think of yourself as a naturalist at heart? If so, consider joining the *Naturalist at Heart* program at the Falls of the Ohio State Park. This exciting program was created to combine education and volunteering. Interested applicants are interviewed to establish mutual goals. Volunteer interests are matched with the needs of the park and its visitors.

Now in its fifth year, new participants may attend the program orientation either January 7 from 1:00 to 2:00 or January 10 from 10:00 to 11:00. Those unable to attend on either date can schedule an individual orientation. Participants will be offered free classes relating to the natural and cultural history of the Falls of the Ohio. Subjects include geology, biology, archaeology, history, interpretation, and more. Certification as a *Naturalist at Heart* is reached after 40 hours of lessons and 50 hours of volunteer time at the park. Most of the classes are open to the public and typically last three hours. Level I classes are offered twice – Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. and Saturdays at 9:30 a.m. Speakers are park staff or invited experts. If you would like to participate in this educational opportunity at the Falls of the Ohio State Park call 812-280-9970.

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